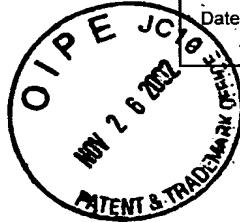


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FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 21, 2002, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Abstract

The invention relates to a surface marking for roads with a fixed road surface, such as asphalt, concrete or like receiving surface, which marking essentially comprises resin, thermoplastic polymers, softeners reflecting material for better reflection of light, and friction material for increasing the friction between the roadway and the vehicle wheels, said marking comprising at least two layers, of which a first, upper layer constitutes a wear layer, and a second, lower layer is made of a heat-activated adhesive material.

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